

HURRY!
7 MORE DAYS LEFT TO SHOP



"GENERAL BILL" HUNTER DIES AS EXPOSURE RESULT

Well Known Washington Citizen Dies As Result of Accident on Monday Evening Near His Home in the County.

Mr. William H. Hunter, more familiarly known to his many friends throughout Mason county as "General Bill," died at the home of his brother, Mr. J. C. Hunter, near Washington, last night after a short illness brought on by exposure occasioned by an accident on last Monday evening.

Mr. Hunter had been in Maysville and on his way home Monday evening his horse, in turning into the Hunter farm, cut the corner too closely and the buggy in which Mr. Hunter was riding was upset throwing him out. He struck with such force as to render him unconscious and for two hours or more he lay on the ground in a beating rain and wind storm. He was found and removed to the home of his brother, where he has been critically ill since until his death occurred last night near midnight.

He was born in 1849 and was therefore 71 years of age. All of his life has been spent in this county as a farmer. He was never married and is survived by three brothers, Messrs. J. C. and David L. Hunter, of this county, and Mr. Edward Hunter, of Millersburg.

Rad valour for middles and children's coats, superior quality, 1 1/2 yards wide; was \$5.00, now \$3.98 yard. Hunt's.

Make her Christmas a bright one. Mr. Farmer. Give your lady a Coleman gasoline lamp for Christmas. Mike Brown sells them.

We have beautiful cut glass tumblers, \$6.00 per set of six. Cut glass water pitchers from \$6.00 up. Cut glass bowls from \$3.00 up. Nappies from \$2.00 up. Water goblets. In fact anything you want in cut glass. Murphy the Jeweler, Open evenings. 17Decf

HUNDREDS GET CHRISTMAS CHECKS FROM CLUB FUNDS

Farmers and Traders Bank Issues Many Checks to Members of Their Christmas Savings Club This Year.

There was quite a rush at the Farmers and Traders Bank yesterday and today when scores of persons called for their Christmas Savings Club checks. Approximately \$18,000 was distributed to the twelve hundred members.

Many of these persons withdrew their money to spend on Christmas gifts, is being the plan of the most of the members of the club to thus save up money for their Christmas shopping while there were many others who transferred their money thus accumulated into their savings fund.

The distribution of this large sum of money just at this time into so many pockets, is expected to greatly stimulate Christmas shopping in the local stores and shops for the balance of this week and practically all of the stores have made arrangements to cash the savings checks at their offices.

The new club which was opened Wednesday has started off with a great rush. The club operated by the Farmers & Traders Bank is now the only Christmas Savings Club in the county and is therefore patronized much.

For your Christmas dress, \$3.00 plain and fancy taffetas, now \$1.50 yard. Hunt's.

Dear to every feminine heart is the wrist watch. Mike Brown, on Square Deal Square has a beautiful line of them.

The Eastland School Parent-Teachers' Association will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. An interesting program has been arranged for the meeting and all members are asked to attend.

See our line of Sheffield silver sandwich dishes, cheese and cracker dishes, bread and cake trays, vegetable dishes, water pitchers, meat platters, sugar and cream sets, all in nickel silver, Sheffield. Murphy the Jeweler. 17Decf

GREAT CHRISTMAS RUSH EXPECTED ON SATURDAY.
A great rush of Christmas shopping is expected here Saturday by the local merchants. It will be the last Saturday before Christmas and arrangements are being made to handle one of the largest crowds that has visited Maysville in years.

ANNUAL WARNING AGAINST CHRISTMAS FIRES IS ISSUED

State Fire Prevention Officials and Chief Newell Warn Citizens Against Christmas Fires.

Fire Chief R. M. Newell calls the attention of the people of Maysville to the annual fire warning just issued by the State Department of Fire Prevention as follows:

Holiday fires in stores, churches, bazaars, and the like, are usually holocausts. Light inflammable decorations make fire easy to start and easy to spread. A match, a gas flame, or an electrical defect, may do it.

Watch gas jets, decorations may be blown against them and a fire started. Watch smokers; do not permit them to light cigars, pipes, or cigarettes, while inside the buildings filled with holiday shoppers, or while around decorations, and the like.

Do not make any changes in electric wires, devices, or appliances, without consulting a competent electrician.

See that the fire extinguishers are in good order and in proper places. Do not allow fire extinguishers to be placed on the floor, in closets, or in out-of-the-way places. Hang them on the walls in plain view.

See that the hose, nozzles, etc., to fire-fighting appliances, are in good condition and in working order.

Do not pile boxes, crates, etc., on stairways or in front of windows, exits, or on fire escapes. Keep the aisles clear of obstruction. Before closing the store, shop, mill or factory at night, go over the entire building to see that everything is safe from fire.

Provide for the disposal of waste paper, trash, etc., in non-combustible receptacles.

Protect floors under and about stoves and furnaces, with brick, cement, or sheet metal. Be careful not to have stoves and furnaces close to woodwork.

Spittoons should be of metal or other non-combustible material, and should never contain sawdust.

Gasoline and other volatile oils should never be kept in buildings, except in small quantities in approved metal safety cans, and should never be kept in open receptacles.

Warnings for the Home.

Every year in America many children are burned to death by fire from Christmas candles.

Do not decorate your Christmas tree with paper, cotton or any other inflammable material. Use metallic tinsel and other non-flammable decorations only, and set the tree securely so that the children in reaching for things cannot tip it over.

Do not use cotton to represent snow. If you must have snow use powdered milk or asbestos fibre.

Do not permit children to light or relight the candles while parents are not present. The frequently set fire to their clothing instead. Electrical illumination is safer.

Do not leave matches within reach of children at holiday time. Candles are meant to be lighted, and if the children can get matches they will experiment with them. They imitate their elders.

Do not allow trees to remain in buildings after the holidays. The tree itself ignites readily when needles have become dry. A large number of fires usually occur in January from this cause.

A house of merriment is better than a house of mourning.

Great variety in crepe de chine and georgette blouses, \$6.50 up to \$25.00. Hunt's.

MRS. DUNN AT HOME.

Mrs. Jamesa Dunn, 337 Rose street, who recently underwent a serious surgical operation at Cincinnati, and who has been at the home of her sister, Mrs. John Murry, at Maysville, for several weeks, returned home today. —Lexington Leader.

A steamer rug for her car will warm the heart and incidentally keep the feet of your lady love warm, this Christmas. See them at Mike Brown's.

AUTO OWNERS MUST HURRY TO GET LICENSES.

Owners of automobiles will have to hurry if they procure their licenses before the first of January as is required by law. The county clerks are being kept very busy but there are yet hundreds in Mason county who have not taken out their licenses.

Don't fail to get one of those beautiful cases of French Ivory. We engrave the ivory in colors to suit you. Your ivory is not complete if it is not engraved. We don't make any charge for engraving and enameled. Murphy the Jeweler. 17Decf

HOME MADE TAFFETS

Thirty cents pound. Traxel's. 13-10f

HARDING PLEADS FOR THE HOME SPIRIT

President-Elect Calls on the Motherhood of America for Proper Training of Children.

Marion, Ohio, Dec. -5. — American mothers were asked by President-elect Harding tonight to give to school officials and other public servants a full measure of co-operation in the educational, religious and physical training of children.

Speaking here before a state meeting of the Child Conservation League Mr. Harding said it was the duty of motherhood to keep the old-time home spirit alive in spite of the growing tendency to entrust the instruction of the child almost wholly to public institutions. He made a particular plea that religious training be kept within the province of the heart and voiced a hope for a revival of religious reverence in the trying times ahead.

The President-elect also asked that the public welfare agencies of the nation be kept democratic and expressed disapproval of the practice of the rich in withdrawing their children from the public schools and entering them in private institutions. He reaffirmed his hope that great good would be accomplished by the new Public Welfare Department to be proposed by his administration and said he had found sentiment in and out of Congress strongly supporting the plan.

Great value in hangarow aprons, light or dark percale, \$1.25. Dainty white India linen aprons, with embroidered ruffle or hemstitching, 50 cents, \$1.00. Hunt's.

MERCHANTS CLEAN GRAVEL FROM PAVED STREETS.

Wagons hauling sand and gravel through Second street this morning spilled much of the gravel into the brick streets and several of our prominent merchants were compelled to sweep the gravel up so that passing automobiles would not throw it and break plate glass windows as has been done several times in the past. The matter was called to the attention of the police and the ordinance compelling sand and gravel wagons to have light beds will be enforced.

We have just fourteen of the famous Rainaud Table Lamps that are priced 25% under the market. They won't last long. Electric Shop, Maysville Gas Co. 15Decf

COMMERCE STREET GRADE TO BE PUT IN CONDITION.

At a meeting of the Wharves and Forries Committee of City Council held Wednesday it was ordered that the Commerce street grade in the Fifth ward, be cleaned off and put in good condition for use this winter. It is understood that there will be much tobacco brought to the local loose-leaf market this winter by boat and this tobacco will be unloaded at the Commerce street grade.

Monogram belt buckles, Waldemar buckles made to order in gold or silver. If you need something of that kind now is the time to place your order for Christmas. Chas. W. Traxel & Co. 8Decf

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS GET MANY SUBSCRIPTIONS.

Students of the Maysville High School are losing no time in their campaign to procure a moving picture outfit for the High School building. Reports this morning were that already, in one evening, scores of magazine subscriptions had been taken by the students.

The Ideal Christmas Gift—Hoover Cleaner. Electric Shop, Maysville Gas Company. 15Decf

ACCIDENT CAUSED DEATH OF MR. HILL, CORONER DECIDED

Brown County Coroner Finds That Former Mason County Man Met His Death Purely by Accident.

Coroner Brown, of Brown county, and his assistant, Dr. Frances, of Ripley, reached a decision this morning in the investigation they started yesterday to learn the cause of the death of Mr. Perry Hill, former Mason county man, who was found yesterday morning in the field on one of his farms near Ripley. After investigating very carefully into every phase of the case, they have decided that Mr. Hill met his death by accident.

Several residents in the vicinity told the Coroner that they believed Mr. Hill had been worried over the unsteady condition of the tobacco market. Due to market conditions all tobacco growers in the vicinity have been worried similarly and the Coroner said that he attached no especial importance to this fact.

Mrs. Hill said that her husband was cheerful during the past few weeks, and treated business adversities in tobacco dealings lightly. She said that frequently, he had remarked that he was not worried over the future. Her husband, Mrs. Hill said, always was in the best of spirits since their marriage several years ago and was not of a temperament which would cause him to brood over slight misfortunes.

Mr. Hill leaves an estate valued at \$60,000, and entirely unencumbered. He began his career as a tobacco grower while still a boy and had been usually successful, friends say. Recently he purchased two new farms to add to his already extensive holdings. The body will be sent to the home of Mr. Hill's mother in Missouri for burial.

The Coroner visited the spot where Mr. Hill was found and there found evidences to establish his belief that Mr. Hill had been killed by the accidental discharge of his own shot gun as he climbed through a wire fence. The mark of the wire which pulled the trigger was upon the trigger and the fence was torn at the spot where he climbed through. Shot in the fence also showed that the gun was discharged at close range.

Investigation of the body showed that Mr. Hill was not shot through the heart as it first reported but that he was shot below the heart and the Coroner believes that he bled to death as he lay upon the ground.

KENTUCKY LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS ORGANIZED

Brilliant Woman Attorney Is Named To Head Organization of Voters.

The Kentucky League of Women Voters, which takes up the work of the Equal Rights Association, the organization which fought successfully for the ballot for women, was formally launched at a meeting Wednesday afternoon at the Phoenix Hotel. Women representing practically all sections of Central and Eastern Kentucky and also the western portion of the state attended. The organization will be a part of the National League of Women Voters, which was organized last spring. Kentucky was the 47th state to form a state body.

Miss Mary Bronaugh, of Hopkinsville, a leader in the suffrage movement, was elected chairman. She is a practicing lawyer, a graduate of the University of Chicago. Other officers elected, all of whom will serve until the annual meeting in 1922, were:

Vice chairmen, first, Mrs. Herbert Mengel, Louisville; second, Mrs. Samuel M. Wilson, Lexington; third, Mrs. John G. South, Frankfort; fourth, Mrs. Cora Wilson Stewart, Morehead.

Treasurer, Mrs. G. B. Roberts, Marian.

Recording secretary, Miss Sara Mahan, Danville.

Corresponding secretary, Miss Mildred Anderson, Louisville.

The Hoover Cleaner brings joy every day in the year. Why not make her happy? Electric Shop, Maysville Gas Company. 15Decf

SHARP FARM SOLD.

J. M. McIntire, attorney for the Bank of Maysville, has sold the C. H. Sharp farm of 105 acres, at Beechburg, in Fleming county, to Tibbs Soward for \$15,000.

PIE SUPPER.

There will be a pie supper at the Washington High school Friday evening, December 17. Everybody invited. 15Decf

PRAYER MEETING TONIGHT.

The regular weekly prayer service of the First Baptist church will be held this evening at 7 o'clock. A study of the Acts is being continued and the public is invited.

SALES LADIES WANTED.

Must be 16 years of age. L. R. Steel Company, Inc., Maysville, Ky. 15-3f

For infant coats and robes, \$2.00 elderdown for \$1.50 yard, Hunt's.

INJURED BRAKEMAN MOVED TO COVINGTON HOSPITAL TODAY

C. & O. Brakeman Is Thought To Be Fatally Injured When He Was Run Over By Part of Train Late Wednesday Afternoon.

Herbert Lovell, 30, of Covington, brakeman on an eastbound C. & O. freight train, who suffered a fracture of the skull and serious injuries to his back Wednesday afternoon when he fell from his train beneath the wheels of the same, will be removed from Haywood hospital, where he was taken immediately following the accident, to Speers Hospital, Covington, this afternoon there to receive the attention of the railway company's specialists.

Mr. Lovell's train was at Broshears station, just below this city, when, in some manner, he lost his balance and fell to the railroad track. The caboose passed over him but his body was not badly cut by the wheels. An injury to the back of his head caused a fracture of the skull and the back was for a time thought to have been broken. Little hope was held out for his recovery last night.

At 3 o'clock this afternoon he was reported at Haywood Hospital to be resting as well as could be expected. Mrs. Lovell came from Covington last night and is at her husband's side.

LOCAL MAN LOSES IN SUIT AGAINST RAILROAD.

A jury in the Mason Circuit Court this morning found a verdict for the defendant in the case of Baker Wood vs. the L. & N. Railroad Company. This case has taken up the time of the court for the past two days. In the suit Mr. Wood sought damages from the railroad company for alleged damages done his property by a drain along the company's right-of-way in the rear of the Wood property in Forest avenue.

DIG WILL CASE IS SCHEDULED FOR TRIAL.

The Stewart will case is scheduled for trial in the Mason Circuit Court next week and the lawyers are preparing to try the case. A great number of witnesses are to be called in the case which will probably take the greater part of next week to try.

SUGAR COMING DOWN.

The M. C. Russell Company today purchased a car of sugar at eight cents a pound which means that Maysville will soon have cheap sugar.

OUR GLASSES FIT

Not much pleasure in reading when your eyes smart and burn and you are compelled to stop and rub them. We give you a scientific and accurate examination and our glasses fit.

WILLIAMS, Optometrist,

M. F. Williams Drug Company
THIRD STREET DRUG STORE.

To Remind You

THAT WE CARRY A FULL LINE OF THE

GILBERT TOYS

THE KIND YOU HAVE HAD TO ORDER HERETOFORE FROM THE BIG CITIES.

Erectors,
Wheel Toys,
Chemistry Sets,
Electricals,
Wireless Sets,
Tool Chests,

AND WE GIVE YOU A CORDIAL INVITATION TO COME IN, BRING THE CHILDREN AND INSPECT THEM TO YOUR HEART'S CONTENT.

YOURS, FOR THE KIDS, FIRST LAST AND ALWAYS,

MIKE BROWN

The Square Deal Man
of Square Deal Square.

THE HOME OF QUALITY CLOTHES

With This MERRY CHRISTMAS Stock THE MAN DOES NOT MATTER

HE MAY BE YOUR HUSBAND OUT OF WHOM YOU CAN'T RAISE A HINT.—OR YOUR 16-YEAR-OLD SON WHO IS AS FULL OF WANTS AS AN EGG IS FULL OF MEAT.

THE MAIN THING IS THAT EVERY MAN ON YOUR LIST MUST HAVE A PRESENT HE WILL LIKE—ENJOY AND APPRECIATE.

AT THIS STORE THE SELECTIONS ARE OF SUCH VARIETY THAT YOU CAN CHECK EVERY NAME OFF SATISFACTORILY.

READY NOW — READY NEXT WEEK — THIS IS THE STORE.

D. Hechinger & Co.

A Store of Established Standards

Gift Blouses

Here at Last

Is a Gift Suggestion That May be

Applied to any Member of the Family

Mother would be most pleased with the

Blouses featured in the Suit Shades, but for

Sister or Daughter you could hardly find any-

thing more appropriate and desirable than the

lovely, delicate Georgettes which abound in

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MRS. R. L. CASE HELD THE LUCKY NUMBER THAT GAVE HER THE CEDAR CHEST.

MERZ BROS.

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OUR POLIOY

To support such measures as are unquestionably for the good of Mason County as an entire community, rather than such propositions as are in favor of the individual interest, or of one section as against another. And likewise to earnestly and consistently oppose all things that are not for the good of the County as a whole.

BEGINS TO BE TIME SOMETHING WAS DONE.

There is something radically wrong in the matter of coal production and distribution. That tented city in Mingo county, W. Va., is at once a picturesque and pathetic exhibit in corroboration of much other evidence to this fact. This evidence has been piling up throughout the country for months whose sum makes years. The presence of troops in this same field of action—or in one sense inaction so far as coal production is concerned—is further testimony that something radically needs attention. Whether or not it needs radical attention is for determining. When hundred of families, including of course hundreds of children, are put out of homes and have to tent or travel as the result of strikes, responsible persons in the ranks of both operators and labor are criminally indifferent, or grossly incompetent, if they do not lay aside consideration of self and pelf and reach fair adjustment.

But the production is one phase only of this problem of furnishing fuel. This situation in West Virginia, and incidentally reaching over into Kentucky, is but one incident of that phase. That raw dealing in providing this essential to public comfort and industrial progress is characterizing operations both in production and distribution is manifest. Added to like reports that have been so constant as to have become chronic during the past few years there come just now charges that the coal consumers of the Northwest have been, and are being, mulcted of millions through the process of price pyramiding. Somewhere between the unmined vein and the unfilled bin some persons, classes or combinations are taking profiteering toll. In short, the consumer is paying a price that should furnish unjust profit to every handler of coal from and including the miner through and including the driver of the truck that dumps it at the terminus.

Thus we have the anomaly of miners crying that they are underpaid for work for which the consumer who pays all profits declares he is being overcharged. The miner and the consumer both register other complaints covering conditions of living at one end and quality of goods at the other. There are all details for discussion. What is wrong, and who is wronging whom, is not pertinent. The point is that something is and long has been radically wrong, and that this something should have the attention of all concerned in good faith and good fellowship for determining and curative purposes. Great Britain may find it necessary to establish martial law in Ireland. That's her business and it is not our province to interfere or pass judgment. There is, however, a general sentiment abroad that in this era of leagues of Nations for altruistic arbitrament the domestic affairs of the most enlightened nations—a self-exploited distinction—if approached with intelligence and tolerance should lend themselves to fair and friendly adjudication.

"SOLDIERING" ON THE JOB.

While economic and philanthropic associations aided by newspapers and other progressive publications, are exploiting before the public the need of more houses and better housing facilities, there have been numerous influences at work against that very desirable achievement. One of them has been exposed by the Associated Employers of Indiana. It is that of the inefficiency of labor, or, in more popular parlance, soldiering on the job.

It is not a new discovery. More than a month ago another association of employers reported that its members were getting only sixty to seventy-five per cent. of a normal day's work even with increased wages. The Indiana report, however, is more specific. It disclosed that although the wages of bricklayers have been raised from 55 cents an hour in 1909 to \$1.25 an hour in 1920, or 120 percent, the average number of bricks actually laid has decreased from 1,100 a day in 1909 to 541 in 1920, more than 50 per cent. Going further into the unit cost of bricklaying, it reports that the cost to the contractor per thousand has increased from \$4 in 1909 to \$18.50 in 1920, more than 350 per cent.

This, of course, has helped to swell the cost of construction to an almost prohibitive limit and has contributed its share to increase of rents and to the cost of living. It has helped to put the ban on building for investment, and is more responsible for the scarcity of available funds. And it is out of all proportion to the increase of the cost of living, which was made the basis of the demand for increased wages.

The mere increase of the pay of bricklayers easily might have been passed on to the public as the employers no doubt figured could be done when they granted the increased wage. But they could not pass on in addition, the increased cost from inefficiency, by which they were getting one-half the amount of work for two and a half times the amount of wages paid. When such inconsistencies and injustices are remedied, then, and not till then, can there be reasonable hope for an expansion of the greatly needed building of houses for the insufficiently housed people of this country.

The proposal of the Secretary of the Treasury that a new coinage must be established at Chicago is at least consistent with his declaration that the government must provide \$4,000,000,000 a year to meet its monetary demands.

Program for preparedness is justified by Secretary Daniels on the theory that we need a large navy because we are out of the League of Nations, which does not of necessity mean that we may not need it worse if we eventually go in.

California has had her warning from the Students' League of Japan, and unless she is prepared to resist an Oriental football rush it will be just as well for her to begin mobilization of her college fraternities.

Once more is Marion the mecca for political pilgrimage in patriotic behalf.

WHAT WE DIDN'T GET AT PARIS.

The Island of Yap is just now to the forefront of international discussion. In former debates, it now appears, nobody gave a rap for this Island of Yap save the canny Jap. Now allies and associates of the great war are with one accord seeking a foothold as it were on this bit of soil that makes a speck far away on the Pacific Ocean offing looking toward the Orient. When the spoils of war were being parceled Japan sat steady with one hand holding tightly to everything she had grabbed, Shantung included, and with the other taking gratefully crumbs from the tid-bit table. America sat by supervising the distribution, generously saying: "Help yourself, boys, we are not hungry."

That's how this scrap called the Island of Yap became the prize of the Jap. It was part of an island cluster contribution. Possibly the most important connecting link in internationalism is the cable. It develops that the Island of Yap is the most important center of cable communication in the Pacific Ocean. It is absolutely vital to America's trans-Pacific cable system. And Japan sits tight on her war usufruct right of exclusive control of cable landing. Great Britain, France, Italy, Japan and the United States are now trying to arrange for recovery of America's right of cable landing on the Isle of Yap. Also to recover her direct cable connection with Italy, which was shifted for purposes of war and is now controlled by France. As France and Japan adhere to their well-defined policy of holding fast to everything they grab or graft, not much headway is being made in America's behalf.

All of which is added evidence that in statesmanship as well as in personal matters it is well to give some heed to your own business while paying overmuch attention to regulating all the world's affairs.

JUST A BIT CHAUTAUQUAN.

There need be no undue alarm that the President-elect is to have a conference with that one-time peerless Democrat, William Jennings Bryan. The incident is almost without significance, is absolutely without sinister significance. Mr. Bryan loves to talk. Mr. Harding loves to listen. There is always a possibility, however remote it may be in this instance, that he may hear something interesting or important. He merely takes a chance on the chance, and courteously declaring himself "Charmed to have met you," sends his more or less distinguished visitor on his way rejoicing.

It is true Mr. Bryan now occupies a seat in the side show of the Democratic circus. But survey of the field of the recent national scrimmage confirms the conclusion that just now the side show is quite as imposing as the circus under the big tent. It is pleasing the President-elect to take an ante-official course in personal phylogeny. It is philosophical rather than political. It gratifies those concerned and gives the public no cause for alarm. And it fills in that long wait between shadow and substance.

Germany is disposed to gibe at the peace prize bestowal upon President Wilson, possibly because of the pertinent application of his fourteen points they once so loudly lauded.

An Appeal

To the Republicans of the Country and
All Those Who Aided Them:

The Republican success in the 1920 election has been commensurate with the quality of our candidates and the righteousness of our cause. This success is the partnership accomplishment of all Republicans everywhere and of hundreds of thousands of well-wishers of good government regardless of past party affiliations.

To all of these we now appeal, because it is the mutual responsibility of us all who will share alike in the consequent mutual benefit of good government.

The plan of limiting campaign contributions to \$1,000, adopted by your national organization, has left your party unmortgaged.

It has been a most advanced step in placing the business of politics on the highest plane, and has brought an interest on the part of thousands who never before have been concerned with politics.

Some weeks before election it was apparent that the expenses provided for in our budget, with the strictest economy, would exceed the contributions, but we were unwilling either to leave undone any legitimate effort essential to complete success or to change the method of raising money. We were then sure and we are now sure that every Republican desires that the expenses of the campaign be distributed in this manner.

Your presidential campaign this year cost no more than that of 1916, when a dollar went nearly twice as far as it does today.

Four years ago the bulk of the campaign fund came from 750 contributors, while this year the approximately \$2,000,000 contributed to date for the presidential election has come from 50,000 givers.

The victory won, the raising of the deficit would be easy, indeed, if your committee were willing to abandon the policy of keeping down the average of contribution. This we are determined not to do. It was a fight of all the people. The result speaks for itself. It lifted a burden from the minds of millions and points the way to better and happier days. We ask now for that additional help from all which is merited both by the successful conclusion of the effort and by the consequent contribution to the welfare of all of our people and the glory of the nation.

Let us now have help from every American who is grateful for the victory and all that it means to the country. It might well be in the nature of a thanksgiving offering for the return to a certainly safe, sane, constitutional progressive government.

Let us by general and generous giving put the seal of approval upon the policy of putting a national administration in power free from any possible embarrassment of special obligation to any man, men or group of men. Let us make the contribution, whether large or small, and whether or not we have heretofore given, commensurate with our means and our appreciation, always within the maximum limit heretofore fixed.

Let us get our names on the cornerstones of a sturdier political structure, upon the roll of those who have helped make possible a campaign of which, in methods and result, we may as Republicans and patriots be justly proud. Most earnestly we urge that this aid be given quickly, that your committee may be enabled to discharge the party's obligations and turn to further constructive work in behalf of party and country.

REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE,
Will H. Hays, Chairman.

Cheques should be made payable to Fred W. O'Brien,
Treasurer, or James G. Blair, Jr., Business Treasurer,
and sent to the Committee's Office, 10 West
44th Street, New York City, N. Y.

License Notice

ALL LICENSES EXPIRE DECEMBER 31st and become due on January 1st of each year, as follows, with penalty of 10 per cent. after February 1st, 1920, attached for non-compliance.

All who require a license and fail to take them out will be prosecuted for doing business without a license.
Advertising, per annum..... \$ 25.00
Astrologers, per day..... 5.00
Auctioneers, per annum..... 5.00
Auctioneers, Commission..... charged on various items.

Automobiles for hire—
2 passenger car, per annum..... 5.00
5 passenger car, per annum..... 10.00
In excess of 5 passenger car, per annum..... 15.00
Automobile Garage, per annum..... 25.00
Automobile Paint and Repair Shop, per annum..... 10.00
Automobile Trucks—
1/2 to 1 ton capacity, per annum..... 7.50
1 to 2 ton capacity, per annum..... 10.00
2 to 3 ton capacity, per annum..... 15.00
In excess of 3 ton capacity, per annum..... 25.00

Bakery, per annum..... 20.00
Bakery, Agents, per annum..... 10.00
Bill Posters, per annum..... 5.00
Boarding and Rooming House, per annum..... 10.00
Billiard and Pool Tables, 1 table, per annum..... 20.00
Billiard and Pool Tables, each additional 1 table, per annum..... 5.00
Bowling Alleys, per annum..... 15.00
Bowie Knives, Brass Knives, Stung Shots, etc., per annum..... 150.00
Brokers & Commission Brokers members Exch., per annum..... 25.00
Brokers selling stock not listed per annum..... 200.00

Carnivals, per day..... 25.00
Carnivals, per week..... 100.00
Circuses and Menageries, per day..... 25.00
Circuses and Menageries, general admission 50c, per day..... 15.00
Circuses and Menageries, general admission 25c, per day..... 5.00
Each additional day less than 25c, per day..... 2.50
Cigarettes, per annum..... 20.00
Creameries and Cream Stations, per annum..... 10.00

Dairies, per annum..... 50c
Dances, per annum..... 1.00
Dance Halls, per annum..... 1.00
Dances, per night..... 3.00
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Dry Cleaning Agents of same, per annum..... 5.00
Exhibitions, per day..... 5.00
Exhibitions, etc., per week..... 25.00
Fireworks, per day..... 5.00
Fireworks, Air Guns, Cap Pistols, Explosive Cans, per annum..... 100.00

Fortune Telling, per day..... 5.00
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Hucksters and Peddlers, per annum..... 25.00
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Hucksters and Peddlers, from horse wagon or more than 1 ton truck, per day..... 5.00
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Itinerant Peddlers, non-resident, per day..... 25.00

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Pistols, sale of, per annum..... 10.00
Playing Cards, sale of, per annum..... 10.00
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Restaurants, per annum..... 10.00
Retail Dealer in Alcoholic drinks, per annum..... 200.00
Retail Dealer in Soft Drinks, per annum..... 5.00
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Scales, private for compensation, per annum..... 10.00
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Show Boats, per day..... 35.00
Soda Fountain, per annum..... 25.00
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Soliciting orders, per annum..... 200.00
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For each Dray or Cart, per annum..... 3.00
1 horse vehicle, per annum..... 3.00
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Carriage or hack, per annum..... 3.00
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PARLIAMENT TRIED A QUEEN.

Nothing perhaps illustrates more vividly the change in society which a century has wrought than the fact that in 1820 the Queen of England was tried in the House of Lords on a charge of misconduct. On the 25th of October, 1820, Thomas Denmark, who, with Lord Broughman, was Queen Caroline's chief adviser, concluded his summary of the evidence for the defense in a speech which lasted ten hours. In spite of his forensic ability he made a most unhappy conclusion: "If your lordships have been furnished with powers which scarcely Omnipotence posesses for coming at the secrets of this female, you will think that it is your duty to imitate the justice, beneficence and wisdom of that benignant Being who, not in a case like this, where innocence is manifest, but when guilt was detected and vice revealed, said: 'If no one come forward to condemn thee, neither do I condemn thee. Go and sin no more.'" which inspired some wit with the well known epigram: "Most gracious Queen, we thee implore To go away, and sin no more; But, if that effort be too great, To go away at any rate."

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New York Letter

by Lucy Joanne Price



New York. — In spite of its size and its sometimes-seeming blatancy, New York City is almost childlike in its love of being loved, especially by its people who have left it. And so it is getting quite a pleasant little glow from the words of Princess Shristopher, of Greece, formerly Mrs. Leeds, wife of the Infante King. Prince Shristopher has been much in the public eye during the past two years, and among other things, a delegation one day came to offer him the crown of the newly created Lithuania. When he told the Princess, she exclaimed, "I'd rather be a lamp-post in New York than Queen of Lithuania!" She'll probably be given half the lamp-posts of the city just for that if she ever comes back.

Gentle measures — getting rid of one's enemies by distance rather than roughness—that's the motto of Mayor Hylan. When \$50,000 was appropriated the other day for aids-carrier motor cycles for the emergency police who were to scout for bandits, Borough President Curran objected that "motor cycles make as much noise as a brass band. They'll scare the burglars away before the police get anywhere near." "That's just what we want!" replied the Mayor.

It's a very bad habit—that of being late to appointments. There's no telling how it may affect one's life. Jack Stengle, a young man of the Bronx, was to have married Miss Catherine Lillian Meyer, of Brooklyn, and for that purpose had made an engagement to meet her at the Brooklyn marriage license bureau. He was late. And while the annoyed bride-to-be was waiting, along came, Walter Firsching, an old beau. "Why wait for Jack. Here I am right here and everything," argued Walter. His argument carried. And the tardy fiancée's sister, already there to witness the marriage of her brother, accommodatingly acted as witness for the new arrangement.

It seems pretty good to have Madge Kennedy back on the speaking stage. "Corners," the melodrama in which she is starred, has just opened at the Astor Theater, and the old admirers of the star of "Fair and Warmer" are turning out in numbers and enthusiasm to greet her. She doesn't have a change to be quite the same Madge of those farce comedies which she could handle so deftly, but she uses her comedy sense almost as effectively in applying just the right touch to banter to the serious-nesses of "Corners." It is another of those trick plays in which the heroine doubles as twins, this time dividing her time between the role of an heiress and that of a thief. As so often happens in plays, the thief is a very sweet girl indeed and feels quite badly when she finds out that the lady she shot in the head is her long-lost sister. Of course, the wounded heiress has no hard feelings as soon as she recovers sufficiently to hear the story, and all ends happily.

Business is business, wherever it takes one. Simply because a thrifty person is forced to give his morning over to hanging about a police court on a charge of some sort, is no reason for letting that time be a loss. So reasoned a peddler who was fined two dollars the other day in the Essex Market Court for peddling without a license. He gave a ten dollar bill in payment, received \$8 in change and was well on his way before it was noticed that the bill had started out in life as a one dollar certificate and had risen solely through the efforts of the peddler and a paste pot. Thirty pushcart peddlers had been fined that morning and identification was impossible of the one who had had vision to see profit in being fined as well as in any other activity of the day.

Bandits have a sense of humor but none at all of fitness. Four of them the other night selected as their victim, Max Hoffman, the keeper at the Mt. Vernon police headquarters. De-lighted at the discovery of whom they were attacking, they went the entire route. The took his new overcoat, \$40 in cash, his revolver, police shield, a watch and a medal from the War Department. "And all they said when they left me," explained Hoffman lat-

er on, "was 'Oh, you Mt. Vernon cop. That's not respectful.'"

Fewer new plays are being put on than at this time of year in many seasons. It is not lack of stimulus in the theatrical world. It is not just holiday spirit when New York waxes enthusiastic over the present theatrical showings. There are at least a dozen plays which have already been running for months which are too good for anyone to miss and a dozen more above the average of year-in-and-year-out productions. Whatever the cause may be, it is truly a season for theater-goers.

CHINA'S POPULATION.

It is common to speak of the "four hundred millions of China." But Western writers have insisted that the figures are a legendary exaggeration, to be heavily discounted. It is true that there has never been an enumeration of the careful kind developed by expert statisticians in the United States and European countries. The Chinese have a census method of their own, nevertheless, and it would be hasty to discredit it simply because it is different from others. The Chinese, might politely root that, centuries ago, they discarded a better system than ours.

Ten years ago the new Republic took a census, and the American Minister to Peking, after remarking that it showed "complete ignorance of the methods now nearly universally employed," patronizingly approved it as "throwing considerable light on the question of population." It was regarded with more confidence than previous figures because it showed only 220,000,000, excluding Tibet and Mongolia. At about the same time, however, the Chinese Maritime Customs published an estimate of 439,000,000.

A census taken this year by the department of the postoffice sustains the latter figures, arriving at a total of 427,679,214. If this result is accepted, it seems clear that the Government's count a decade ago must have been wrong; it is incredible, of course, that China has increased by a hundred million in the interval.

LARGEST VENOMOUS SNAKE.

The bush master is the largest known venomous snake. It inhabits the Amazonian region in South America. Its teeth and poison apparatus resemble those of a rattlesnake, and the fangs are very large. Death has been known to occur within ten minutes after the bite of one of these reptiles. It lives in dens and holes in the ground, frequenting river banks and does not climb trees. This snake attains a length of twelve to fifteen feet; the color of its body is yellowish pink with brown patterns and tints of purple.

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HOW TO SUCCEED.

"When a man becomes a success nearly everything he does is picked up as a possible reason for his success just as before he arrives most of his habits or practices were regarded as the reasons why he got nowhere," says Fred C. Kelly in the Nation's Business.

"Not long ago," Kelly continues, "I sat at a baseball game next to a man who is quietly making \$50,000 a year, and making it in a successful little enterprise of his own device without any fuss or commotion. 'This time last year,' he remarked, 'I wouldn't have dared to take an afternoon off and go to a ball game, because at that time my business didn't amount to much. I wasn't known as a man who was making lots of money, so if business acquaintances saw me at the ball game they would say, 'No wonder he doesn't amount to anything. He takes too much time away from the office for pleasure.' But now do you know what they will say, 'There is a smart fellow. He takes lots of recreation to keep himself in good fettle. That is why he is so successful.'"

In South Wales the number of persons employed underground in the coal mines increased during 1919 from about 120,000 to 215,000.

DEATHS FROM AUTOMOBILES IN YEAR ARE LARGE.

Auto Fatalities In 1919 Show an Increase of 444 Over the Figures for Year 1918, Report Shows.

Washington, December 15. —Deaths from automobile accidents continued to show an increase in 1919, with a total of 7,969 for the Census bureau registration area, comprising about 80 per cent. of the country's total population, according to statistics just completed.

The total includes 3,308 deaths in 66 of the larger cities of the country for which statistics were announced early this month, and which total was not clearly indicated as representing the aggregate for those cities only.

The deaths last year from automobile accidents showed an increase of 444 for 1919 over the total of 1918 in the registration area. The rate for each 100,000 population in that area has not yet been compiled, but the rate in the cities was placed at 14.1.

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An eminent medical authority says that only one case out of fifteen are both eyes in good condition.

HAD 'EM AGAIN.

A moving picture actor relates an amusing incident that happened during the filming of Rostand's "Chanticleer." This was done out of doors, and one day while the actor was taking a stroll he came across a man seated by the roadside with his face buried in his hands, evidently in deep distress. Sympathetically he stopped and inquired what the trouble was.

"I'll tell you," said the man; "I'm one of the patients at the sanitarium for bugs over yonder. Yesterday the doc said that I was well and could leave in a day or two—but what do you suppose I saw this morning? Roosters and hens si feet high and talking just like humans. That settles it! If I get away from this hole in ten years I'll be lucky." — Boston Transcript.

Goethe was more than 80 when he wrote the second part of "Faust."

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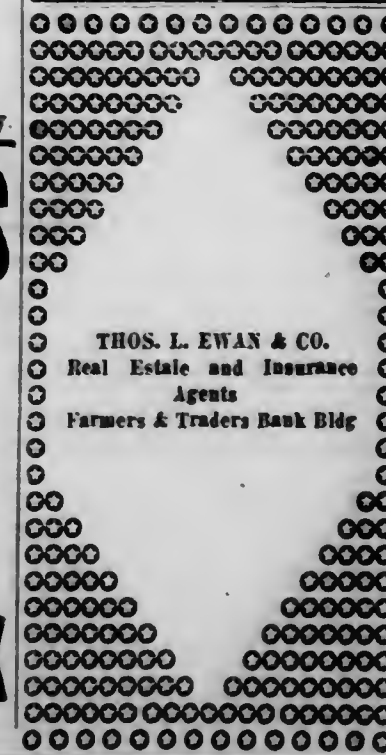
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From 10 cents to \$1.00.	IVORY.
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Silk and Kid.	SILK UNDERWEAR.
From \$1.25 to \$5.00.	CAMISOLE — Flesh, Brown and Navy.
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Cotton and Silk.	From \$1.00 to \$2.98.
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Tricotee and Satin, Less 10% Discount.	NIGHT GOWNS—Crepe de Chine \$6 each
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BIG CINCINNATI MEETING.

A class of 395 will be initiated into the order of Eagles at Cincinnati next week and several members of the local lodge are planning to attend the initiation.

BRACKEN ATTORNEY MAY
PRACTICE AT THIS BAR.

Mr. Baxter Harrison, of Brooksville, County Attorney of Bracken county, was this morning sworn in to practice law before the Mason county bar.

Only a short time, then Christmas. Make your selections early. Will reserve any article until Christmas. Chas. W. Thaxel & Co. 8Dec17

Mrs. H. Clyde Levi and daughter, Irma, spent last week with her brothers, Messrs. Charles and Percie Austin of East Second street.

COLORED CITIZENS.
The Woman's Home Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. E. W. Lane, on Fourth street, Friday at 2:30 p. m. All members please be present.

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SOUTHERN LEAF PRICE INCREASES AS CLOSING NEARS

Improvement in Price of Tobacco on Southern Market Is Seen—Season Will Close Tomorrow.

Slight improvement is noticeable in the reports on tobacco price averages in Southern looseleaf markets received at the headquarters of the Burley Tobacco Growers Association. Averages of six North Carolina markets and two Kentucky sales centers last week were:

Durham, N. C.	\$24.50
Henderson, N. C.	19.84
New Bern, N. C.	14.22
Oxford, N. C.	22.49
Rocky Mount, N. C.	19.50
Winston-Salem, N. C.	18.86
Louisville, Ky.	12.30
Owensboro, Ky.	7.58

The North Carolina markets will close Friday for the season, although much of the tobacco crop of the state remains unsold. The decision to close was made by the warehousemen.

Tobacco growers in the Burley belt who do not receive questionnaires sent out by the Burley Association in co-operation with the Bureau of Crop Estimates of the United States Department of Agriculture, are urged to send in the information desired voluntarily in a statement issued Wednesday by President John W. Newman.

Growers are urged to answer the questions as pertaining to their own individual crops and send in the information as soon as possible. The questions asked are:

How many acres of Burley tobacco did you grow in 1919?
What was the average yield per acre in 1919?

How many acres of Burley tobacco did you grow this year?
What is the estimated average yield per acre? (Weight up some samples if possible.)

What per cent. of your 1920 crop is low grade tobacco? (Consider low grades as including black trash, house-burned, half-cut, worm-eaten, green, black tips, and damaged by rust or wildfire.)

WILL COLLECT LARGE LIFE INSURANCE.

By means of the verdict of the Brown county Coroner in the death of Mr. Perry Hill, his widow will be enabled to collect \$10,000 life insurance on a policy carried by Mr. Hill with Mr. Sherman Arn, local insurance man. The face of the policy was \$5,000 but it doubled in case of accidental death.

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SIN WAS EVANGELIST'S SUBJECT LAST NIGHT.

The splendid revival services continue with new interest in every service. A fine crowd last evening and a great sermon by Rev. Overly on "Sin." No one could hear such a sermon without being able to locate himself as to his spiritual condition.

Remember the services this evening at 7 o'clock. In addition to Rev. Overly's sermon there will be a short address by Mrs. F. L. Johnson, of Columbus, Ohio, a wonderful speaker. She is deserving of a large hearing.

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CINCINNATI MARKETS.

Thursday, Dec. 16.
Cattle—1129, slow and weak; Bulls, weak; Calves, \$14.
Hogs—5637, closing steady; all grades \$9.50; Roughs, \$8; Stags, \$6.50.
Sheep—434, weak; Lambs, strong, \$6.00@12.00.

Regular stated meeting of Order of Eastern Star Friday, December 17, 7:30 p. m. Don't forget to bring your present for the Christmas tree.
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NOTICE.

The election of directors for the Mason County Building and Savings Association for the ensuing year will take place at Council Chamber, Saturday, December 25, 1920, at 7 o'clock p. m.
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